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THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1886.	
AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.	
OPERA (Broadway, near Walnut)—Duff's Opera Company in "Mihado."	
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE (Market, between Broadway and Sixth)—"Called Back."	
Port's (Ninth and Olive)—Pike's New York Opera Company, "The Beggar Student."	
PROGRESSIVE (Sixth and Walnut)—"Gold King."	
STANDARD (Seventh and Walnut)—"Alice Cates," Burlesque Company.	
PALACE MUSEUM (Sixth, near Franklin avenue), 1 p.m. to 10 p.m.	
JAY GOULD has spoken, and his language is anything but conciliatory.	
CHIEF HARRIGAN has won universal praise by his management of the police during the trying times of the past two weeks.	
There is a lively competition among members of Congress to introduce Labor Arbitration bills, with our Congressman GLOVER in the lead and O'NEILL at the head of the committee.	
To STRIKE a man's pet dog is almost equivalent to striking the man himself; and when Senator LOGAN hits Senator HALE with the sledge-hammer of debate, the blow falls heavily on the retired but watchful historian.	
A FREIGHT train went out on the Missouri Pacific yesterday and another one to-day. As there was no visible reason for not sending them out two weeks ago, it is reasonable to assume that traffic was stopped by JAY GOULD's instructions.	
The relations of public corporations to the Government are now emphasized by the conspicuous instances of the Washington City Gas Company, the Union Pacific and Central Pacific in their dealings with the Pacific Mail, and of the Atlantic and Pacific in its land grab.	
Gov. MARMADUKE proclaims himself in favor of the Constitution of the State of Missouri. Unfortunately, like the proclamation of a Governor, is not self-enforcing, and those parts of the Constitution which define the duties of railroad corporations have been overlooked in legislation. We call Gov. MARMADUKE's attention to this.	
SENATOR LOGAN made a very significant remark in the Senate Tuesday about the opposition to his army bill by Senator HALE of Maine. He said he knew where that opposition came from, and that the bill would not have encountered that opposition if somebody else had introduced it. Thus the tail of the late Republican ticket stings and striking at the head thereof.	
YESTERDAY'S resolutions indicate more plainly than words could say that the merchants and business men fail to recognize the justice of the grounds on which the strike was based. We believe that they are fair-minded and impartial men, and now if they will declare that they do not see why JAY GOULD should refuse to recognize the Knight of Labor they may do something to restore business.	
THERE is only one day more for entries for the prize book lists, but at the rate at which the lists are now coming in, we believe we shall have to issue several supplements to accommodate the competitors. When our published list yesterday reached No. 64, we had six hundred more lists on file, waiting room in our crowded columns, and to-day they are coming in as thick as snowflakes in a storm. No entries will be received after noon to-morrow.	
NOW THAT a show of moving freight trains has been made, it remains to be seen whether the management of the Gould system can do what it has claimed all along that it could do, get a sufficient force of men to do the work which was done by the strikers, and operate its road without taking any notice of the Knights of Labor. It is only fair to presume that the organization is nothing unlawful in that. But the result of these perfectly lawful acts is that business is destroyed. It is true that some unlawful obstructions were put in the way of trains, but there is no evidence that this was the work of the Knights of Labor. It is also true that for two weeks the railroad company was unable to move its trains though unobstructed by any violence, but we do not know that there is any law in Missouri to compel a railroad company to perform its functions. Evidently what is wanted is some method of bringing about an agreement between two opposing interests which are equally emphatic in condemning lawlessness and their places.	
THE evidence of eye-witnesses of the killing of Capt. CRAWFORD shows that it was something more than a mere assassination. It was a cowardly conspiracy, carried out by scoundrels wearing the Mexican uniform and holding commissions in the Mexican army. The crime is so outrageous that our Government can	
not afford to overlook it, and during his present leave of absence Minister JACKSON should be called to Washington and given instructions that would ensure the arrest and punishment of the murderers.	
SIX MONTHS HENCE.	
Six months from now this strike, with all its disturbing features, its loss of traffic to the railroads, its loss of wages to the men, its interruption of business, its charges and recompenses, will be a thing of the past. What will be the verdict of history? How will the calm, impartial opinion of the future judge it?	
Public opinion will probably say that the men acted hastily in striking; that if they had real and valid grievances they made the mistake of not making these grievances known and confirmed by proof before declaring hostilities.	
So much for one side of the question. On the other hand, if the Gould Southwestern system is again in full operation with 15,000 workmen sustaining its useful activity, nearly every one of these men will be Knights of Labor, and any question they may have to settle with the corporation will be presented by Knights of Labor, and will be listened to as coming from the Knights of Labor. The corporation will recognize the Knights of Labor then. It will have no other alternative. It will be compelled to recognize them.	
Public opinion will say six months hence: "If this railroad corporation can recognize the Knights of Labor now, why did it not do so six months ago when such recognition would have ended all trouble at once?"	
In like manner public opinion may say now: "If the railroad corporation will recognize the Knights of Labor six months hence, why should it not do so now?"	
Since the end must come sooner or later, surely the sooner it comes the better.	
ALTERNATIVE RESOLUTIONS.	
It would have done no harm if a few manufacturers and large employers of mechanical labor had attended the business men's meeting yesterday to infuse into it a little of the true spirit of the relations between capital and labor. They might have enlivened the proceedings by introducing some such resolutions as these:	
Whereas, All trades recognize trades Whereas, The stove founders recognize the Molders' Union; and	
Whereas, The publishers of the daily papers recognize the Typographical Union; and,	
Whereas, All building contractors recognize all the unions in the building trade; and,	
Whereas, JAY GOULD recognizes the Southwestern Pool and other Railroad Unions; and,	
Whereas, JAY GOULD recognizes the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; therefore, be it	
Resolved, That we respectfully suggest to JAY GOULD that he recognize the Knights of Labor and end this strike.	
There is no reason why any large employer of labor should object to such resolutions.	
SECRETARY LAMAR and Attorney-General GARLAND believe that the Government will get judgment against the Corporation and the Union Pacific for 25 per cent of the \$4,04,400 which they paid in subsidies to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. A judgment for \$1,01,102 on this account will be equivalent to a judgment that JAY GOULD and C. P. HUNTINGTON have diverted that much to the coffers of their steamship line from the earnings of the Pacific roads. The loss will come out of the pockets of "innocent stockholders," who authorized the subsidy under the impression that they were only cheating the Government and would share in the profits of the operation.	
FROM SENATOR VAN WYCK's exposition of the Washington Gas Company's affairs it appears that Congress is about as easily manipulated by such concerns as a New York Board of Aldermen. The company has been permitted to earn dividends of 40 or 50 per cent on stock watered to \$2,000,000 from an original investment of \$600,000 in cash. Years ago the president of the company admitted under oath that he paid a lobbyist a regular salary of \$5,000 a year to take care of its interests in Congress. What an example to be set for municipal bodies by the National Legislature!	
LOGAN and EDMUNDS are now the leading anchor-casters of the Senate.	
THE Detroit Base Ball Club needs a pitcher. There is a chance for the nomadic JONES.	
MR. CONKLIN has concluded that he is not enough of a historian to try politics again.	
FRANCIS is annexing Madagascar just as a small dog annexes a crawfish to his tail.	
NEW YORK CITY will be 200 years old in April, but it is not yet exempt from youthful follies.	
SENATOR KENNEDY was a plowboy in 1865. The plow furnished the turning-point of his life.	
RIDDLEBROOK hung his banner on the outer wall and then hid himself in a secret crypt under the castle.	
THE Chicago News says that the milk of that city is half-and-half. Perhaps this means half chalk and half water.	
STONEWALL JACKSON's horse left no man-scrips. It will be a source of chagrin and regret in magazine circles.	
It is a pity that FATTI is not a married woman, so that her husband might whip the next audience that hires her.	
WHAT does it profit an author to have a hard time as long he lives and dispose of his manuscript at war prices after his death?	
THE Michigan Prohibitionists will nominate a ticket, and the Democrats will accept the inevitable with uncomplaining resignation.	
THE resolutions and proclamations of yesterday are full of censure against unlawful acts, but the trouble with the present situation is that it is almost altogether the result of acts which are not unlawful. The strikers belong to an organization called the Knights of Labor and refuse to work unless the General Manager carries on his transactions with them through that organization. There is nothing unlawful in that. On the other hand, JAY GOULD refused to engage any workmen except as individuals, without noticing the organization called the Knights of Labor. There is nothing unlawful in that. But the result of these perfectly lawful acts is that business is destroyed. It is true that some unlawful obstructions were put in the way of trains, but there is no evidence that this was the work of the Knights of Labor. It is also true that for two weeks the railroad company was unable to move its trains though unobstructed by any violence, but we do not know that they were made Knights of the Turkish Bath.	
THE Duke of Edinburgh is mad because he is only a second-class Knight of the Bath. Some Dukes would not be satisfied if they were made Knights of the Turkish Bath.	
THE obstinate reluctance of the New York capitalists to sign a half bond for one of their Alderman shows that the officials of the metropolis are understood and appreciated at home.	
INGALLS wants information about the removal of fourth-class Postmasters. It speaks volumes for Chicago that the plate is passed around at the meetings held by San John, and that they have always found its way back. We understand that they are using the same plate they started in with.	
THE Times says: "One thing is perfectly plain from the experience of the last ten years and that is that the leaders who lead nowhere, that is, who do not go forward, whenever they encounter serious opposition do nothing. Men have no time or money to make any movement, of which the leaders announce that they will fight only when the enemy is not in sight."	
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The representation of Carl Goldmark's new opera, the "Queen of Sheba," which will be the piece de resistance of the German Opera Company at the Olympic next week, is now attracting Chicago the largest audiences ever known in that city. The first night will be Saturday evening at the Coliseum, and a delightful event in the operatic history of Chicago, the splendid lyre work had a pre-ordinary conditions most worthy, rendering to	
the removal of fourth-class Senators and Representatives.	
MEN OF MARK.	
O'BRIEN COUNTY, Ia., has a man whose name is Sheol.	
M. Taine's "Study of Napoleon the First" is an experiment in psychological description.	
LAMMAS-JAKE, a cow-boy revivalist, is said to be doing a great work at Farmington, N. M.	
MR. HENRY WATTERSON is well enough to drive about. About May 1 he will go to Europe for four months.	
GEN. FORREST retired with an ease and grace acquired by abundant practice more than twenty years ago.	
SENEG. BATES, the somewhat noted color bearer, has been offered a position in the Finance Office, but hesitates to accept.	
WALTON, "The Plunger," to provide against possible financial accidents, has settled property worth a third of a million upon his wife.	
M. FOSTER BROWNE, a Canadian, who when the war broke out was principal of the female academy at Eatontown, N. J., is said to have manufactured the first cotton-seed oil ever made in this country.	
PRESIDENT HOLDEN, of the California State University, receives a salary of \$8,000—\$5,000 as President and \$3,000 as Director of the Lick Observatory. No other college president in this country receives so much.	
GLADSTONE, says the "Toronto Globe," is the most popular man in Canada, and if he were to visit Canada his reception would, if possible, exceed in cordiality that given to the Queen herself.	
SERGEON DON SIMON LAMA, a Mexican, has given the necessary grounds and \$7,000 in money for the erection of an American hospital in the City of Mexico. The corner-stone was laid February 22, Gen. Jackson, the American Minister, being the orator of the day.	
CHICAGO NEWS: Congressman PULITZER has sent his first year's salary of \$5,000 to the New York Hospital to be used in endowing a permanent bed for sick and disabled newspapermen. This is not only a very kind and charitable thing for Mr. PULITZER to do, but it smacks of justice as well, since we know of no person who has done more than he to make certain that newspapermen men feel very sick.	
PRUDENCE, now a widow, is getting the money she needs to live on. The bridge over the Wabash, which she built, was removed by the State Board of Equalization in 1877, and the Wabash succeeded to exist, and the Wabash was subject to taxation by the local authorities of St. Charles, under whom she received a tax law, after the virtue of the act of 1877 the bridge could only be assessed by the State Board of Equalization, relative to assessment and collection of taxes upon railroad property in Illinois. The bridge was retained by the owners to the State Board as part of the roadbed and track and the State Board has annually assessed the property part of the track. The tax was not levied until 1880, when the city authorities of St. Charles upon assessments made by the City Collector and the Wabash Company, the latter assuming the responsibility for the bridge, succeeded in getting the money.	
Mr. FARNELL, of the City of St. Charles, contend that inasmuch as the bridge is one where a toll is charged for crossing it should have been assessed by the State Board of Equalization as a part of the property and not as a part of the roadbed and superstructure of the railroad company. The Master of the Court, however, held that the bridge was not a toll bridge, and that the toll was to be assessed by the local authorities of St. Charles, under whom she received a tax law, after the virtue of the act of 1877 the bridge could only be assessed by the State Board of Equalization, relative to assessment and collection of taxes upon railroad property in Illinois. The bridge was retained by the owners to the State Board as part of the roadbed and track and the State Board has annually assessed the property part of the track. 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## LODGE NOTICES.

**OFFICERS** and members of Missouri Lodge No. 11, I. O. O. F., are requested to be present at regular meeting on next Friday evening at 8 p. m. at S. P. M. Work in the second and third degree will be done. No 2 will pay a fraternal visit. Members of sister lodges and visiting brothers fraternal invited.

W. M. SHERMAN, Recording Secretary.

ST. LOUIS DEGREE LODGE NO. 11, I. O. O. F. will meet tonight at 8 p. m. in the hall above the Hotel St. Louis, 412 Chestnut st. All S. P. M. Work in the second and third degrees. No 2 will pay a fraternal visit. Members of sister lodges and visiting brothers fraternal invited.

H. A. BARMEIER, Degree Master.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—An experienced bill clerk wants a position in some wholesale house. Address O. T. 74, this office.

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The Trades.

WANTED—Parties wanting No. 1 practical sober, steady engineer, 15 years' experience; can start with me. Apply to 1206 Chestnut av.

Reference, 517 S. Jefferson av.

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WANTED—Situation as bread and cake baker. Apply at 1750 Chouteau av.

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WANTED—A good man as meat and pastry cook. Address E. 73, this office.

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WANTED—We make the best \$6 pantaloons in the city. 212 N. 4th st.

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WANTED—By licensed engineer; wishes to do his own ring and repairing; best of references given. Address W. M. 209 N. 10th st.

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Cochmen.

WANTED—A situation by an experienced coachman that understands gardening and the care of cows; best of references. Address F. 73, this office.

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Boys.

WANTED—Work of any kind by boy of 15; willing to work. Call or address, 1826 Bidwell.

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Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Situation by a young druggist, aged 21; have had five years' experience; can give good reference. Address F. 73, this office.

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WANTED—Baner & Lewis make the largest and best stock of goods in the city. 212 N. 4th st.

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WANTED—An experienced typewriter of Martin's Short-Hand and Type-Writing Institute. 618 to 620 Olive. Estab. 1876. Trial instructions free.

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**HELP WANTED—MALE.**

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—A good, honest, wide-awake agent to carry on the Excelsior Cutlery Co. For particulars address Excelsior Cutlery Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

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WANTED—100 salesmen at once. Address Brown Bros., Rochester, N. Y.

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WANTED—Baier & Lewis make the best-selling book in the city. 212 N. 4th st.

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POSITIONS WANTED—An employee of Martin's Short-Hand and Type-Writing Institute. 618 to 620 Olive. Estab. 1876. Trial instructions free.

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**MACHINE SHORT-HAND.**

Well-educated young men and girls are invited to examine the advantages of the machine and pencil short-hand department of the Brant & Stratton Business College, 1206 Chestnut st., St. Louis, Mo. Broadway. Students can qualify themselves in less time than by any other system, and are more certain to succeed. The course is taught by a teacher who has the St. Louis agency, and all vacancies are filled. The number of students in the machine short-hand writers constantly exceed the number of short-hand writers in the city. The short-hand department is under the charge of Mrs. M. Rogers, practical stenographer and author, and our improvements in the machine short-hand writers and shorthand will be the pupil one-third the time of learning to learn. For further call at the machine room, corner of Chestnut and Main sts., or address Dr. W. M. Carpenter, President.

Book-keepers.

WANTED—Respectable young man to learn book-keeping at large commercial house; position as soon as convenient. Room 11, 10th N. 3d st.; tele. 28th, at 10 p. m. sharp.

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The Trades.

WANTED—All-thiners and cornice-makers to meet at Holt's Hall, 1310 N. Broadway, Sunday, the 28th, at 10 a. m.

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WANTED—Grocery-ware and hardware; ref. req. Taber Bros., 802 Main st., Dallas, Tex.

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WANTED—Whiteners at 2605 Chouteau av. Dundorf Bros.

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Laborers.

WANTED—Young men to learn book-keeping at large commercial house; position as soon as convenient. Room 11, 10th N. 3d st.; tele. 28th, at 10 p. m. sharp.

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Boys.

WANTED—A good boy for bell-boy at Moser's Hotel. 1601 Washington av.

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WANTED—A stout boy or man to make fires, etc.; bring references. 1601 Washington av.

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Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Young colored man to work around stable, in private family; good situation to good boy. Address Stable boy, 1440 N. Main st.

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WANTED—Respectable man to work without children; who uses his leisure time to good account. Terry & Scott, 621 Chestnut st.

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WANTED—A man and his wife to go to the country; cook, wash and iron. Apply to Capt. Deviney, quarter master of Guards, St. Louis.

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WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen to telegraph on our lines and quality for situations paying \$100, \$50, \$30, \$100, \$200. Apply immediately; Union Telegraph Co., 122 N. 3d st. Take off.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Stenographers.

WANTED—Situation by young lady in situation and telephone operator; former employers discontinued business. Address F. D., Crescent Wire Works, 54.

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Dreammakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Situations as seamstress in private families. 1st. Apply or address 1253 Morgan st.

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Teachers, Companions, Etc.

WANTED—German young lady wishes situation in America; can speak English; wishes to give German lessons. Address Miss M. Deffner, 86 Generie, Mo.

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General Household.

WANTED—A situation to do general household. Please call at 1021 N. 10th st.

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WANTED—A situation for house or dining-room girl; maid or chamber maid. Address 1265 Morgan st.

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WANTED—A good woman wants a place in a small American family. Apply at 2206 Grand Avenue.

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WANTED—Situations to do housework or care for children and care. 2810 Sheridan st.

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STOVE REPAIRS!

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